Norcatur News

By the Norcatur News Committee

them for a barbecue.

Saturday, May 10.

Dorothy Ward and Bee Nelson attended part of The Oberlin Arts and Humanities Commission annual history tour on Sunday, April 27 at Clayton. There was a nice crowd to hear Weldon Brooks, Gwynn Ward and John K. Gallentine reminiscing on Clayton's history.

Marylyn Barnett was at her parents Saturday night and Sunday for a working weekend and to visit with her parents Darrel and Alice Barnett.

Weekend guests of Gerald and Judy Jackson were daughter, Beverly and Andy Huerta; grandson, Daniel and his friend Bree, all of Aurora, Colo.; son Brian and grandson Thad, Brighton, Colo. and his friend Kerry of Torrington; daughter, Charlotte and Jay Kertz, Norcatur; and Gerald's brothers, Dallas and Delbert Jackson, Colby. On Saturday evening, they all went to the Cardinal Bar and Grill to hear the Jackson Brothers band, "Country Plus" perform. Birthdays were celebrated for Gerald Jackson and his grandson, Thad Jackson, both born on April 26. Attending the evening's festivities were a host of friends and relatives.

Happy Birthday to Veda Wood, May 2; Linda Hunt, May 3; Lora Linn Leichliter, May 5; Dave Stapp,

Happy Anniversary to Rodney and Janice O'Hare, April 30; Dwight and Mary Wentz, May 6.

Destiny and Christopher Chastain, children of local Tad and Rebecca Hartsough, would like to help with your yard work. For more information call (785) 202-0298 or (785) 202-0295.

Lisa Leichliter of Seibert, Colo. was a visitor of R.D. Thornton on Monday

Jim and Carolyn Plotts recently

The Golden Plains High School

graduation will be held at 2 p.m. on

Sunday in Rexford. Congratula-

tions to all the Golden Plains gradu-

ates. They include: Devin Spresser,

Danny Rogers, Tim Beeck, Andrew

Broeckelman, Samantha Dice,

Brandy Ginther, Micah Goscha.

Jacob Korte, Joshua Korte, Tiffany

Kyle, Caitlyn Moss, Brittany Rit-

ter, Jordan Rogers, Tori Schwarz,

Jennie Staats, and Klint Wessel.

Everyone should give these young

adults a pat on the back for one of

their biggest achievements in life.

Gail Mumm took high, Lola Cook

On May Day at Senior Citizens,

Selden News

The city-wide garage sale will be returned from a week-long trip through Kansas, Missouri, Illinois and Wisconsin. They visited friends and family along the way. The trip was to help Carolyn's cousin, Barbara and Art Basinger move to Norton. The Basingers were Wednesday night taco supper guests at the Plotts home.

Results of the pool tournament at the Cardinal Bar and Grill on Wednesday, April 23 were: Dave Stapp, first; John Mast, second; Stan Miller, third; and Carl Lyon, fourth.

Results of the dart tournament were: first game: Scott Hartzog, first; Renee Harman, second; Kristi Gallentine, third. Second game: Scott Hartzog, first; Renee Harman, second; Alyssa Montgomery,

Cricket winners were: Sam Stapp, first; Renee Harman, second; Patty

Guests at the Stan Miller farm from April 22-24, were Carol's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. John Mast, Emporia. Mr. and Mrs. John Rule, Clayton joined them for dinner on April 23.

Mr. and Mrs. Stan Miller went to Topeka on April 25 to visit Mr. and Mrs. Curt DeDonder and help their granddaughter, Sophia celebrate her first birthday. Mr. and Mrs. Casey Tuttle, El Dorado; Aimee Applebury, Colby; Mr. and Mrs. Gary Miller, Oberlin and Mr. and Mrs. Rocky DeLano, Wichita, all joined them. They returned home on April 28.

Trudi McCollum, Elissa and Nora, Platte City, Mo. came April 20, to visit Bob and Kay Strevey. They also visited David and Retta Hare; Darrel and Alice Barnett; and Glen and Carolyn and Gregg Strevey. They left for home on April 25.

Rea and Dee Magers enjoyed

By Jacque Boultinghouse

took second, Leone Porsch got low

and Ann Hazlitt had the most aces.

Other members present included:

Royce Cook, Edna Schiltz, Carol

Shaw, Jeanie Spresser, Betty James,

Shirley Emigh and Alfred Albers.

include: May 8 - Darcie Spresser;

May 9 - Travis Rogers; May 10 -

Don Koerperich, John Koerperich,

Joe and Janice Kruse, Greg and

Traci Bruggeman; May 11 - John

Mosier, Jason Rall; May 12 - Dan

Shuler, Tom and Jan Juenemann;

May 14 - Maxine Sulzman, Mason

Mumm, Micah Goscha.

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Birthdays and anniversaries

Microwave use for children

Using a microwave oven to heat up a snack sounds simple enough, but remember that doing so can put children at risk.

A child must, for example, be old enough to know how to read and understand directions and tall enough to comfortably reach and remove hot, cooked food items from a microwave oven.

Additional tips can reduce risks in the kitchen:

Pierce hot dogs with a fork before placing them in a microwave-safe dish to keep them from exploding during cooking. Reheat hot dogs until they are hot and steaming.

Stir and rotate food and liquids midway through cooking in a microwave oven. Foods and liquids heat unevenly, so if not stirred, harmful bacteria can survive in cold spots.

Cover a dish of food for microwaving with a lid or plastic wrap (wrapped loosely to allow steam to escape). Moist heat will destroy harmful bacteria that may be pres-

Use pot-holders to prevent burns when removing food from a microwave oven. Uncover food away from your face to allow steam to escape.

Use glass or other containers labeled "made for microwave use." In a microwave, metal pans may cause arcing - and sparks to fly. Metal or



Home Time

By Tranda Watts Multi-county Extension Agent

also can get too hot and burn, are not recommended. Neither are onetime-use containers (a margarine tub, for example) that may warp, melt or release chemicals that may mix with food.

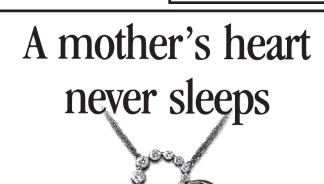
Discard leftover and perishable foods left at room temperature for longer than two hours or one hour in air temperatures of more than 90 degrees.

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company from Amarillo, Texas, last weekend. They were Bonnie Yule and her two daughters, Karen Mason and Sharon Webb. On Saturday, Jeff Magers and Joy Luboto from near Cedar Bluffs, joined

Lora Linn Leichliter has been transferred to Porter Hospital in Denver, from Hays Medical Center. She is there for intensive therapy after being a victim of influenza and pneumonia. Her birthday was May 5, and a card shower would be nice. Her address is Select Care, 2525 S. Downing, 3rd Floor South, Denver, Colo., 80210.

Glen and Carolyn Strevey joined the festivities on April 26 at the Cardinal Bar and Grill, along with two of their sons, Greg, Boulder, Colo.; and Dan and Jana, Longmont, Colo., to hear the music. Grandmother, Crystal Moore of Wheat Ridge Terrace, Oberlin, also joined the party along with Von Johnson.

WavaReames, Marguerite Clark, Dorothy Ward, Mary Lesle and Bee Nelson also joined the festivities at the Cardinal Bar and Grill and Bill and Dorothy Woods, Oberlin, joined them at their table. The next order for Prairie Paks

will be turned in on Monday, May 19, and the pick-up date is Saturday, May 31 at the Education Building at 8 a.m.

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Making Room for the New by Rev. Heidi Wiebe, Evangelical Covenant Church of Oberlin

I just love spring – with the grass getting green, the shrubs getting their greenest hue, the beautiful budding trees and, of course, all the bulbs waking up from their winter's nap. With all the moisture we have been experiencing, the troublesome part of spring has arrived as well, weeds.

It seems that all a weed needs is a little moisture and bam(!) they are growing everywhere – in flower beds, in cracks in the driveway, in the lawn and in ting. I am never ready for the onslaught of weeds. I too am coming out of my winter's laziness and I need

I find that weeds can cause turmoil in my spiritual

life. The weeds of inattention and laziness that grow up, keeping my relationship with Jesus Christ from flourishing. Jesus came into the world to be the "weed killer" of all those things that keep us from a vibrant and healthy spiritual life. The apostle Paul tells us in his letter to the church in Corinth, "What this means is that those who become Christians become new persons. They are not the same anymore, for the old life is gone. A new life has begun." (2 Corinthithe vegetable beds waiting for spring planting. What ans 5:17, NLT) Jesus came to take away the weeds was once two inches high becomes five times that from our life, allowing us to live new lives for him. height in a few short days, rain and warmth permit- Indeed we are not the same anymore when he pulls

The process of becoming "weed free" persons is a big kick in the pants to get out and pull weeds or if just that, a process. We have to be willing to let Jesus it is warm enough, shoot the weeds dead with a little take his knife and dig at the weeds in our life, getting to the very root so they won't come back.



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Morning Worship, 11 a.m. DRESDEN SUNDAY: Morning Worship, 9:30 a.m.

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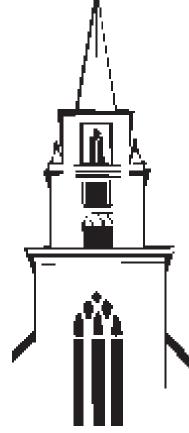
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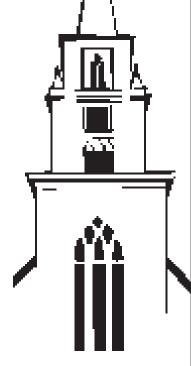
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